

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

-against-

VICTOR GUZMAN,

Defendant.

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No. 19-cr-736-2 (NSR)

ORDER

NELSON S. ROMÁN, United States District Judge:

Based on a review of the docket, which reveals that the instant criminal action was commenced approximately eighteen months, the defendant has been incarcerated since November 25, 2019, the defendant is charged with a felony, and the defendant wishes to enter a guilty plea pursuant to a negotiated plea agreement, it is the Court's determination that in order to prevent serious harm to the interest of justice, Defendant Victor Guzman can and should be permitted to plead guilty and the plea hearing can be conducted by video teleconference or by telephone conference pursuant to the CARES Act § 15002(b)(2)(A).

Accordingly, it is hereby ORDERED that the plea hearing for Defendant Victor Guzman be conducted by video teleconference or by telephone conference (if video conference is unavailable) before this Court or a Magistrate Judge at a date and time mutually convenient to the Court and all parties concerned. The Clerk of Court is requested to terminate the motion at ECF No. 38.

Dated: May 25, 2021
White Plains, New York

SO ORDERED:



NELSON S. ROMÁN
United States District Judge